The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland, approves the following Act:
Sec. 1. Section 2-60 is amended by as follows:

2-60. Criminal Justice Coordinating Commission

(a) Established. There is a Criminal Justice Coordinating Commission.

(b) Composition; officers; terms of members; meetings; staff.

(1) The Commission has [26] 30 members.

[(A) The ex-officio members are a representative of each of the following officers, or their designees;

(i) County Executive;
(ii) Director, Police Department;
(iii) Sheriff;
(iv) Administrative Judge of the District Court;
(v) State's Attorney;
(vi) Clerk of the Circuit Court;
(vii) Administrative Judge of the Circuit Court;
(viii) Public Defender;
(ix) Director, Department of Correction and Rehabilitation;
(x) Mayor or Chief of Police, City of Rockville;
(xi) Mayor or Chief of Police, City of Gaithersburg;
(xii) Mayor or Chief of Police, City of Takoma Park;
(xiii) Chair of the Board of Managers or Chief of Police, Chevy Chase Village;
(xiv) Juvenile Judge of the Court;
(xv) County Council Staff;
(xvi) State Department of Parole and Probation;
(xvii) Montgomery County Division of Maryland-
National Capital Park and Planning Commission
Police;
(xviii) two members designated by the Director,
Department
of Health and Human Services; and
(xix) State Department of Juvenile Services.
(B) The County Executive must appoint the following 6
additional members to 4-year terms subject to
confirmation
by the County Council:
(i) one member of the County delegation to the
Maryland General Assembly;
(ii) one representative of the Juvenile Court Committee;
(iii) a member of the legal profession who practices in
Montgomery County; and
(iv) three members of the public who have special
knowledge and dedicated interest in the criminal
justice field.]

(2) The County requests the following individuals to serve as
ex-officio
members of the Commission:
(A) [The] Administrative Judge of the Circuit Court
for Montgomery County;
(B) [The] Administrative Judge of the District Court
for Montgomery County;
(C) [The] State’s Attorney for Montgomery County;
(D) [The Montgomery] County Sheriff;
(E) [The] Clerk of the Circuit Court for Montgomery
County:

(F) [The] Public Defender for Montgomery County;

(G) [The] Chief of the City of Rockville Police Department:

(H) [The] Chief of the City of Gaithersburg Police Department:

(I) [The] Chief of the City of Takoma Park Police Department:

( J ) [The] Chief of the Village of Chevy Chase Police Department; and

(K) [The] Chief of the Montgomery County Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission Police Department.

(3) The following individuals are ex-officio members of the Commission:

(A) Chair of the County Council's Public Safety Committee:

(B) [((A))] [The] Chief Administrative Officer:

(C) [((B))] [The] Chief of the [([Montgomery])] County Police Department:

(D) [((C))] [The] Director of the Department of Correction and Rehabilitation:

(E) [((D))] Chief of Behavioral Health and Crisis Services of the Department of Health and Human Services:

(F) Chief of Children, Youth, and Family Services of the Department of Health and Human Services:

(E) The Director of the Office of Management and
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Budget:]] and

86 (G) [[(F)] [[The]] Director of the Department of
Technology Services.

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(4) The County Executive should appoint, subject to Council
confirmation, the following individual[[s]] to serve a 3
year term[[s]] as a member[[s]] of the Commission:

88 [[(A) A member of the Montgomery County Council

89 selected by the Council President: and]]

90 (B)] A member of the [[Montgomery]] County

91 Legislative Delegation selected jointly by the Chairs

92 of the House and Senate Delegations.

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(5) The [[County]] Executive must appoint, subject to Council
confirmation, to 3-year terms:

94 (A) 7 members of the public, one of whom must be a

95 member of the [[legal profession]] Maryland bar

96 who practices law in the County:

97 (B) An employee of the Division of Parole and

98 Probation in the [[Maryland]] State Department of

99 Public Safety and Correctional Services, after giving

100 the Director of the Division an opportunity to make

101 a recommendation:

102 (C) An employee of the [[Maryland]] State Department

103 of Juvenile Justice, after giving the Secretary of the

104 Department an opportunity to make a

105 recommendation:

106 (D) A member of the Commission on Juvenile Justice,

107 after giving the Commission an opportunity to make

108 a recommendation: and
A member of the Advisory Board on Victims and their Families, after giving the Board an opportunity to make a recommendation.

(2) The County Executive must designate the Commission Chair, who serves a one-year term.

(3) The Commission must elect the Commission Vice-Chair, who serves a one-year term.

(6) After considering the recommendation of the Commission, if any, the [County] Executive must designate the Chair and Vice-Chair of the Commission. The Chair and Vice-Chair serve one-year terms.

(4) The Commission must meet at least [9] 4 times each year.

(5) [[The provisions of]] Section 2-148[(c)] [[do]] does not apply to ex-officio [Commission] members or members appointed under [[paragraph]] _subsection [(6)].

(6) The Chief Administrative Officer must provide staff support to the Commission, subject to appropriation.

Duties. The Commission must:

(1) evaluate the organization and adequacy of law enforcement and the administration of justice in the County;

(2) [recommend a 6-year comprehensive plan for the long-range development of the County's criminal justice system that provides solutions for problem areas and achieves effective coordination of criminal justice activities] review and comment [[on]]. at the request of the County Executive or the County Council. on programs concerning
criminal justice [[proposed by law enforcement and
criminal justice agencies]] for:

(A) long-term impacts [[on the criminal justice
system]];

(B) feasibility; and

(C) implementation issues.

(3) [review programs proposed by law enforcement and
criminal justice agencies for:

(A) the 6-year plan;

(B) the County Executive’s proposed capital and
operating budgets; and

(C) specific grant applications] respond to requests from
the [[County]] Executive. [[the County]] Council,
and the judicial system for any analysis concerning
criminal justice programs:

(4) educate the community about law enforcement, crime
prevention, reentry of individuals to the community, and
other criminal justice issues, promote respect for law, and
encourage community involvement in law enforcement
and other appropriate components of the criminal justice
system;

(5) facilitate coordination of the programs and activities of
County law enforcement and criminal justice agencies;

(6) facilitate coordination of County law enforcement and
criminal justice agencies with those of the State [[of
Maryland]] and neighboring state and local governments;

(7) promote efficient processing of criminal cases at every
stage from arrest to completion of trial and correctional
programs; and

(8) [carry out other activities] advise the County on how to achieve fair and effective law enforcement, crime prevention, and juvenile justice.

(d) **Information and assistance.** [[The agencies]] Each agency of County Government must give the Commission any information and assistance, not inconsistent with law, that the Commission requests to perform its duties.

(e) **Reports and recommendations.** The Commission may make reports and recommendations to the [[County]] Executive and [[the County]] Council from time to time as the Commission finds appropriate. The Commission must report to the Council and the Executive on request [, and must present an annual report on the Commission’s activities by September 1 of each year].

**Sec. 2 Transition.**

Annointed members of the Criminal Justice Coordinating Commission on the effective date of this Act continue to serve on the Commission until the end of their terms. The County Executive may stagger the initial terms of annointed members so that approximately one-third of the terms [[of the members]] expire each year.

Approved:

Steven A. Silverman, President, County Council

Date

Approved:

Douglas M. Duncan, County Executive

Date